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In Re: McCormick et al.

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir/Madam:

Applicants submit this statement in accordance with their duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and §§ 1.97-1.98, and in particular under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(3), before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits.

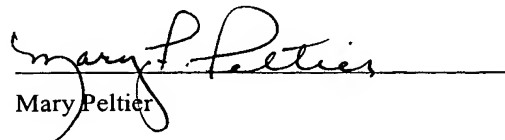
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Applicants, by submitting this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, are attempting to fully comply with the duty of candor and good faith mandated by 37 C.F.R. § 1.56. As such, this Information Disclosure Statement is not intended to constitute an admission that any of the listed references is otherwise "material to patentability," as that term is defined in that section.

Accordingly, Applicants respectfully solicit the Examiner's consideration of the cited references and entry thereof into the record of this application.

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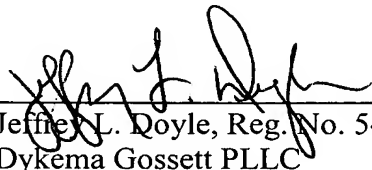

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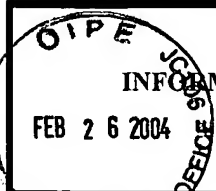
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